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Our contracts compel us to take more movements from the different factories than ALL OTHER JEWELERS IN TOWN (COMBINED, but

We Get Extra Discounts by It,

AND THEREFORE  
MUST DO IT.  
THESE MOVEMENTS

MUST BE SOLD!

Don't buy a Watch until you have seen us. We will make it pay you. DO YOUR "LOOKING AROUND," and then COME AND GET OUR PRICES.

C. E. Curtis & Co.

EVERY WATCH WARRANTED.

## NEW FALL STOCK.

ABEL & LOCKE

ARE SELLING BETTER

BRUSSELS & INGRAIN CARPETS

THAN YOU EVER SAW FOR THE MONEY.

Their Store is Full of Novelties in the CARPET, WALL-PAPER and CURTAIN line.

## WE DESIRE

Pattern Hats and Bonnets,

AND

CHOICE MILLINERY!

GOODS IN AND ON SALE.

Our New and Beautiful Stock

surpassing all former efforts.

Best Goods, the Largest Stock, the Lowest Prices, makes ours the popular choice. Respectfully,

S. G. HATCH & BRO.,  
NO. 10 MERCHANT STREET.

## BIG SHOE STORE,

13 EAST MAIN ST. THROUGH TO 9 WATER ST.

Wholesale and Retail Boots & Shoes.

LARGEST STOCK. LOWEST PRICES. BEST GOODS.

L. F. FERRISS & CO.,  
DECATUR, ILLINOIS.

ATTENTION, ALL!

D. DUSTMAN,

FURNITURE DEALER

On the North Side of the City Park, is giving the

BEST FURNITURE

For the Least Money of Any House in Decatur.

His Stock is all New. No Second-hand in Stock. Latest Styles Received Daily.

Call and see him, and you cannot fail to be pleased with his goods and prices.

## The Daily Republican.

TERMS.

Per week, payable to Carrier, \$15 Cts.

One year, in advance, \$7.00

Six Months, " 3.50

Three Months, " 1.75

TUESDAY EVENING, OCT. 3, 1882.

LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

Just received a fine stock of Sewing

Stands at

E. D. BARTHOLOMEW & CO.'S.

WEDDING TO-MORROW.

Some farmers complain of too much

rain. So it goes.

CALL on Nieldmeyer, on the Mound,

when you want the very best family flour.

THAT drenching rain of yesterday after-

noon was enough. Sunlight to-day.

TRY the new cigars, the 10-ers, manu-

factured by Keek & Weigand. 27-11w

Don't fail to witness the "My Partner"

play to-morrow night.

FOR the best meals and best liquors

call at the Palace Hotel. [Aug 20-11w]

No one should miss the sale of pictures

in the tabernacle to-night. Positively the

last night.

THE Decatur ladies netted \$42.85 for

St. Mary's hospital, as a result of the fair

at the tab. The total receipts were

\$6,257; expenses, \$2,200.90.

THE "My Partner" company is one of

the strongest dramatic combinations travel-

ing.

STATE convention of the Total Abstinence

Society in Decatur, commencing

October 10th.

CALL at M. E. Penwell's for fresh family

groceries and fine flour. No. 22

West Main street. 24-11w

SMOKE none but Schneider's celebrated

Bohemian cigars and your nerves will be

steadily at all times. Sold by all first-class

dealers.

A SPLENDID stock of ladies' fine sta-

tionery, embracing the very newest styles,

at Wallace's Book Store. 18-11w

THE members of the Decatur Shooting

Club are requested to meet at the store of

Korseymer & O'Neill, on Wednesday

evening at 7:30 o'clock.

YOU will see nothing but the latest im-

ported novelties in Neck Wear at John

Irwin's. It will pay you to look at them.

2-11w

TO-NIGHT will be the last night of the

oil painting sale in the tabernacle. Great

bargains will be had.

C. B. PARSONS is the veteran music

dealer in Decatur. He keeps an extra fine

stock of instruments, chief among which

are the celebrated Haines Bros. pianos.

M. E. PENWELL has just received a

new stock of family groceries at No. 22

West Main street. 24-11w

BAG delegations of Decatur people went

to St. Louis yesterday and to-day to take

in the fair and witness the Veiled Prophe-

cy parade to-night.

GO to Dr. Thomas S. Hoskins to get

your dental work done. Cor. Main and

## FLEURY'S PLUG HAT.

The Great Herrmann Sued to Recover

Damages by the French Cutter.

The only plug hat that could be fished

out of the slim crowd at the opera house

last night on the occasion of the Herrmann

slight-of-hand entertainment was the one

owned by Fleury, the French Cutter, a

respected and responsible clothing mer-

chant of this city. Herrmann desired a

high hat to perform several of his tricks,

and the Oscar Wilde female assistant

was handed the six dollar plug by Mr.

Fleury. As Herrmann took it he struck

it on top with his magic wand, but it ap-

pears he tapped it too hard. The crown

was ruined by the blow, but the illusion-

ist went on with his tricks, and finally

the hat was handed back to the owner

with many bows and smiles of thanks by

the blonde female. About half an hour

after the close of the performance Mr.

Fleury discovered the condition of the

plug, and he at once returned to the opera

house believing of course that Herrmann

would make the damage good. But in-

stead of receiving even an apology, the

great prestidigitator flew into a passion

and applied disrespectful remarks to the

owner of the plug, and then the two

Frenchmen—Herrmann is a native of

France—talked excitedly together for a

short time; but Mr. Fleury could get no

satisfaction out of his countryman. The

parties separated, but this morning the

second act in the drama of "Fleury's

Plug Hat" took place at the Union depot,

when Constable Jack McWhinney served

a summons on Herrmann, calling for his

appearance before Justice Albert in De-

catuur on October 9th, to answer to a civil

suit instituted at the instance of Mr.

Fleury to recover damages fixed at \$6.00.

Herrmann attempted to prevent the con-

stable from reading the summons, the

ventriloquist interposed several objec-

tions, the ladies spoke lightly of the af-

fair, but the Japanese juggler said never

a word. He was mum. But Herrmann

had to stand and hear the paper read to

him, and when the constable had finished

the illusionist said he would be here next

Monday without fail. Fleury says he'll

make Herrmann pay for the damages done

if it costs him \$100. It is not at all likely

that Herrmann will ever be seen in De-

catuur again.

"Jennie Wills" Owned by Race.

Col. C. G. Bradshaw has sold his hand-

some trotting mare, "Jennie Wills," that

was the 2:40 contest at our late county

fair, to J. W. Race of this city. The price

paid was about \$725. The Colonel, who

believes that ex-Ike Hoffman was wrong-

fully convicted, is the owner of seven

other trotting nags, and will sell most of

them before leaving Bloomington for

Europe, on October 20th, to be absent

three or four months. Mr. Race's pur-

chase is one of the Colonel's swiftest fly-

ers.

## THE OCTOBER MEETING.

Regular Session of the City Council

Last Night—The Downing

License Granted.

DEBATOR, Oct. 2, 1882.

The city council met at 8 o'clock p. m.,

October 2, 1882, there being present Ald.

Bramble, Cox, Dinneen, Gogerty, Hardy,

Parke, Schroll, Shlaudemman and Shoemaker.

Absent, Mills.

Minutes of meetings held October 4th

and 8th read and approved.

A. A. Bishop and others petitioned the

council to put down a crossing on Wil-

liam street east side of State street. Re-

ferred to committee on sidewalks and

crossings.

H. E. Foster asked the council to ap-

point a suitable person to inspect lumber

furnished the city. Communication re-

ceived and placed on file.

Warren & Durfee and others petitioned

the council to annex the 3d and 4th Boil-

ing Mill Additions to city of Decatur.

Petition referred to the city attorney with

instructions to draft an ordinance provid-

ing for the admission of the said addi-

tions.

The trustees of St. Mary's hospital pe-

tioned the council to lay down a water

main on East Wood street, from Broad-

way to a point opposite the hospital,

thence south to the hospital building.

Ald. Dinneen moved to suspend the rules

when Ald. Hardy moved that the matter

be referred to the committee on public

improvement with power to act. Carried.

Ald. Shlaudemman moved that a 4-inch

pipe be laid down to the point opposite

the hospital, with a hydrant on corner of

Wood and Webster streets. Carried.

Mr. John Archer asked permission to

lay a tile drain from his lot to the head

of the sewer on North St. Referred to

committee on public improvement.

Dr. S. J. Bumstead asked the council

to put down a crossing on King street,

east side of North Edward, and sidewalk

at that side through the continuation of

Edward St. Referred to committee on

side walks and crossings.

Thos. Nelson reported receipts and ex-

penditures during the month of Sep-

tember. Report received and placed on

file.

Ald. Cox reported pay roll of city offi-

cers and employees which was approved

and warrants ordered issued for the sev-

eral amounts the aggregate being

\$1068.13.

The committee on police and fire de-

partments reported back the claim of

Wm. M. Kramer as correct, which was

ordered paid. Amount \$700.

The committee on printing reported

back the claim of Hunscher & Mosser as

correct and a warrant was ordered issued

for \$106.40.

Upon recommendation of the committee

on sidewalks and crossings, walks and

crossings were ordered put down as fol-

## REPUBLICAN RALLY!

TO-NIGHT

On the political questions of the day. The

Captain made speeches this week in Pitt

county, and will speak in various parts of

this county next week, and commencing

on October 9th he will make a journey into

Logan county. He is a ready and inter-

esting talker.

TURN OUT EVERYBODY.

This evening and give him a hearing.

The ladies and the voters are especially

invited.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Riley Pratt is "doing" St. Louis.

Judge Wilkin is holding court at Dan-

ville this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Fenton and daugh-

ter, Miss Jessie, are in Chicago this week.

C. B. Prescott will go to Chicago to-

night to purchase a new stock of musical

instruments and to take in the races.

Miss Meta Battsinger has returned home

after a month's visit among friends at St.

Louis and at Barksdale, Ill.

Charles W. Chellis is in Logansport.

He has one thanks for a bundle of late

papers published in that city.

The parties married yesterday by Judge

Greer were Mr. Arter and Miss Hott, not

Holt.

John H. Miller, Jerry Turpin and others

went to the Kanawha river on a fish-

ing trip this morning.

Col. C. G. Bradshaw of Bloomington,

who was in Decatur to-day, told a report-

er that he would go to Europe about the

20th inst.

President Priest has his hands full of

business transferring passengers and

baggage over the street car line. The big-

gest boat is in motion.

Herbert Rollins, brother of Harry

Rollins, late of this city, and Miss Belle

Funk, daughter of Mr. D. M. Funk, will

be wedded at Bloomington on the evening

of Oct. 19th.

Alderman Mills has been absent in the

north for several days purchasing a stock

of lumber. He will join the hunting



